

SINDH NO. IX ORDINANCE OF 2001

THE SINDH FINANCIAL LAWS (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 2001.

[27th January 2001]

An Ordinance to rationalize and abolish certain taxes and fees in the Province of Sindh

WHEREAS it is expedient to rationalize and abolish certain taxes and fees in the Province of Sindh; **Preamble.**

AND WHEREAS the Provincial Assembly stands suspended in pursuance of the Proclamation of the fourteenth day of October, 1999, and the Provincial Constitution Order No. 1 of 1999;

AND WHEREAS the Governor of Sindh is satisfied that circumstances exist render it necessary to take immediate action;

NOW, THEREFORE, in pursuance of the aforesaid Proclamation and the Provisional Constitution Order read with Provisional Constitution (Amendment) Order No. 9 of 1999, and in exercise of all powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor of Sindh is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:-

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Sindh Financial Laws (Amendment) Ordinance, 2001 **Short title, and commencement.**
 - (2) It shall come into force at once.
2. In the Sindh Urban Immovable Property Tax Act, 1958, in section 4-
 - (a) in clause (c), in sub-clause (i), for the words “six hundred”, the words “eight hundred and sixty four” shall be substituted;
 - (b) in clause (g), for the words “five thousand”, the words “seven thousand and two hundred” shall be substituted.**Amendment of section 4 of W.P Act V of 1958.**
3. In the Sindh Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1958, in the Schedule—
 - (a) in serial No. 4, after clause (iii), the following Explanation shall be inserted :-

“Explanation: For the purpose of this clause, the seating capacity shall not include the seats meant for driver and conductor.”.
 - (b) in serial No. 5 at the end, the following proviso shall be inserted:-

“Provided that the tax in respect of the motor vehicles referred to in clauses (a), (b) and (c) other than the commercial vehicles shall, on completion of ten years and fifteen years of the payment of the tax since first registration of the vehicles, be paid at the rate of seventy five percent and fifty percent of the tax, respectively.”.**Amendment of schedule of W.P Act XXXII of 1958.**

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| 4. | In the Sindh Finance Act, 1990, section 8 and 9 shall be omitted | Omission of section 8 and 9 of Sindh Act IV of 1990. |
| 5. | In the Sindh Finance Act, 1994, section 7 shall be omitted. | Omission of section 7 of Sindh Act XIII of 1994. |